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"We will call her Flora. The most joy, ern, Ware, &c., North side of Main st. first superb, captivating creature that ever door west of E. G. Butler & Cos., Hardware ensuared the hearts of the sons of Adam. by Flora. She laid her hand on my to speak of that cra in my life. I saw. upon the deck of the steamship, when, in Upon my pillow was a glove, and he place Homeopathic Physician, Surgeon den'tst, and Obstetrician. He may at all times be found at his Residence on the corner of Niles & Paw Paw st. directly south of Chas. Schlick's.

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Softness; lips that could pout or smile she viewed the English hills with a pension and impetucisty I could not speak. After that, came a with incomparably fascination; a figure siveness which became her better than and profound. If I had aspired to nothing higher than a life of sensuous delights while Joseph kept asking me what I in the property of surprising symmetry, just valuptuous ing higher than a life of sensuous delights. lay in her freedom from all affectation comes to an end ! Ware, Upholetery, and Trimming done to order. Ready-Made Coffins costantly on hand. Ware Ready-Made Coffins costantly on hand. Ware Ready-Made Coffins costantly on hand. Ware ners. She was the most daring and daztruer and sweeter. Our lives may be all ly. Meanwhile, we had another month drive me mad with questions which neighbor truer and sweeter. Proprietor Paw Paw Livery Stable. Horses and Carriages at all times to let. Passengers conment of the upper deck. Just twenty wine,

And when one love is lost, there you.' least bridge them over with a new affec- America, -what a blank life was to me "Well, the round of rides, excursions, tion. The number of marriages built in then; and did I not turn my back upon soirces, visits to the operas and theatres, Late of the fam of White & Metcalf, Utica, N. Y...)
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myself? Very well, I condemn myself; walk over this single rail into the water, Place de la Concorde, where the brilliant kills nobody but me. But don't be alarm- she could-not to let you die. But there

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Which was the true sympathy? and proud that she took no pains to con- I poured into her car I know not what self, to put Margaret from me. ceal the preference for me. We played extravagant vows; and before the slow- "Weary at length, I returned to my in those clear, bright days; we promenad- so easily outdone! about the ship, spanned with a quivering | acquaintance!

steamer. The breaking up of an old asso- meet Margaret's eyes, and was vain enough Margaret came up before me, sad, silent, "I am a little given to superstitions, heard a rustling which seemed afar off,

I am about to confest. Take these things excited soul transfigures the world, and ret had her revenge.

superb, captivating creature that ever "In this state of mind I was joined returned in September. I have no words found myself. I was thinking of Flora, side. I tried to speak, but could not --A fine olive complexion; magnificent arm, and we walked up and down to- enjoyed, suffered, learned so much! Flo. a moment of chagrin, she had been so ed it against my cheek. An indescriable, dark auburn hair; eyes full of fire and gether. She was serious, almost sad, and ra was always glad, magnificent, irresisti- uear throwing herself over; wondering to excruciating thrill shot through me; still softness; lips that could pout or smile she viewed the English hills with a pen- ble. But, as I knew her longer, my mo- what fate her passion and impetuesity I could not speak. After that, came a

and conventionality, -in her spontaneity, "'Not so,' I said; 'or if one romance But zling of woman, without ever appearing a succession of romances, if we will make in Paris. Here I had found Joseph again, ther angels nor fiends can answer!' immodest or repulsive. She walked with them so. I think now I will never doubt who troubled me a good deal with certain such proud, secure steps over the com- the future; for I find, that, when I have rumors he had received concerning Mar. seph; 'you will go home and marry Mar-

"Not a whit," I said, "but for Margaret" this sky, this earth, this sea, and the joy eloquent and fascinating." a sigh. "But, you see, I had given her theory, that something better awaits said; and receive the attention of anoth, said,-

ed the deck at sunset, her hand upon my "Now see what strange, variable fools of folded paper. It was written upon. " Oh! there was no other way!' said arm, her lips forever turning up tenderly we are! Months of tender intercouse had I unrolled it, and read. It was as if I had Joseph, ingenuously, - she is so sharp towards me, her eyes pouring their pas- failed to bring about anything like a posi- opened the record of doom! Had the They're to wait for you at Marseilleg .sion into me. Then those glorious nights tive engagement between Margaret and apparation of Margaret herself risen sud- But I'll manage that, too. On their arriwhen the ocean was a vast, wild, flunctu- myself; and here behold me irrevocably denly before me, I could not have been val at the Hotel d' Orient, they'll find a ating stream, flashing and sparkling pledged to Flora, after a brief ten day's more astounded. It was a note from her, telegraphic dispatch from me. I wager a

this atmosphere of romance; and man-mingling has of sunshine and mist hung of the life she led me-when I looked writing. hood is invested with ideal graces. The over all. I paced the deek, solemnly joy- into the depths of my heart, and saw what love within us rushes, with swift, sweet ful, swift thoughts pulsing through me of the thin film of passion and pleasure con-

into consideration, if you will; then we marvel how we could ever succumb to "A month, crowded and glittering with glove, where it had lain folded, silent, un- flashes, as if the pole of an electrical but think as you please of the weakness and a transient sorrow while the whole novelty and incident, preceded our depart | noticed, during all this intervening period tery had been applied to my brain, memowild impulse with which I fell in love with universeblooms and an infinite future waits ure for Switzerland. I accompanied Flo. of folly and vexation of soul. Margaret by returned, -- Margaret, Flore, Paris, deto open for us its door of wonder and ra's party; Joseph remained behind. We had done her duty, in time; I had only lir um. I next remember hearing myself left Paris about the middle of June, and myself to blame for the tangle in which I groan aloud, then seeing Joseph at my enough. But, after all, her great power "'So,' she sighed, all our little romance ing higher than a life of sensuous delights, while Joseph kept asking me what I inshe would have been all I could wish .- | tended to do.

between, which I can't give up quite so "This bit of gossip made me very biter man?' You see how consi.tent I was,

this way, upon false foundations of hol- all that to meet face to face the greatest walks on the Boulevards, and in the galle- ing?' he asked, pitilessly. get some capable man to filt her. Then for you?'
seize your chance. All the affections "'Yes,' she cried, with spirit,—'any trunk. I snatched at it eagerly, and, in myself into my room, and suffered the torupon a stray glove, in the bottom of my "Having driven Joseph away, I locked nothing back!" to droop, quivering with the painful, hun- man, who finds that the brief romance of flected that I was wronging Flora, -- press. ner as possible, until morning. Then Jogry instinct to grasp some object, may a ten days acquaintance has already bepossibly lay hold of you. Let the world come tiresome to the second party. I am where it had been mended, the spot Mar.

Where it had been mended, the spot Mar. sneer; but God pity such natures, which glad I have enjoyed what I have; that is garet's fingers had touched, and gave it a "For Heaven's sake!" he said, 'you and a brave, true girl she proved herself. lack the faith and fortitude to live and die so much gain, of which you cannot rob kiss for every stitch. Then, incensed at ought not to let this thing kill you, -and Oh, but she was wild about you! She me; and now I can say good-bye as coolly myself, I flung it from me, and hurried it will, if you keep on. "Out of my own mouth do I condemn as you, or I can die of shame, or I can from the rrom. I walked towards the "So much the better,' I said, 'if it she would have bribed Heaven itself, if peccavi! If I had ever loved Margaret, and quench this little candle, and so on lamps burned like a constellation. I stroll ed. Keep perfectly cool, and attend to came a time, one night, when you were ed through the Elysian Fields, and watch. the commission I am going to trust to

cannot find its counterpart indifferently "She sprang upon a bench, and, I ed the lights of the carriages swarming you. I can't see Flora this morning; I in one was her purity, softness and depth down! I was so exalted by this passion- ped by the concert-gardens, and listened of the Lyons railway, where I am engagof soul. What fascinated in the other ate demonstration, that I should certainly to the glorified girls singing under rosy ed to meet her party; say to her that I was her bloom, beauty and passion .- have gone over with her, and felt perfect- and golden pavilions the last sungs of the am detained, but that I will join her on ly content to die in her arms, -at least, season; wandered about the fountains, - the journey. Give her no time to ques-"I did not stop to ask the question until I began to realize what a very disa- by the gardens of the Tuileries, where the tion you, and be sure that she does not when it was most important that it should greeable bath we had chosen to drown in. trees stood so shadowy and still, and the stay behind. be seriously considered. I rushed into "I drew her away; I walked up and statutes gleamed so pale, -along the quays ". I'll manage it, - trust me " said Jothe crowd of competitors for Flora's smiles, down with that superb creature panting of the Seine, rolled so dark below, -try- seph. And off he started. At the end and distanced them all. I was pleased and palpitating almost upon on my heart; ing to settle my thoughts, to master my- of two hours, which seemed twenty, he

book ; we ate at the same table ; we sat the buoy in the channel, we had knotted a looked down at the glove which lay where have to get another fixin our minister.' and watched the sea together, for hours more subtile and difficult nosse, not to be I had thrown it upon the polished floor. "What! I exclaimed, 'you lied to Mechanically I stoope and took up a bit her bridge of splender on oneside, and rolling "Six mortal hours were exhausted in ing and humility, poured out of a heart Naples. Then you can follow at your leisoff into awful darkness and mystery, on making the steamer fast, in sending off so deep and tender and true, that the ure the other; when the mooned swinging her Majesty's mails, of which the cockney shallowness of my own seemed utterly conamong the shrouds like a ball of white fire; speaks with a tone of reverence altogether temptible, in comparison with it. I canwhen the few ships went by like silent disgusting to us free-minded Yankees, - | not tell you what was written, but it was tion. The next day I was attacked by fever. ghosts; and Flora and I, in a long trace of and in entertaining the custom-house in- more than even my most cruel and exact- I know not how long I struggled against happiness, kept the deck, heedless of the spectors, who paid a long and tedious visit ing pride could have asked. It was what it, but it mastered me. The last things I throng of promenaders, forgetful of the to the saloon and our luggage. Then we would once have made me wild with joy, remember were the visits of friends, the past, reckless of the future, aware only of were suffered to land, and enter the noisy, -now it almost maddened me with de-strange talk of a French physician, whisour own romance, and the richness of the solid streets of Liverpool, amid the don- spair. I, who had often talked fine phi- pers and consultations, were about me, yet keys and beggars and quaint scenes which losophy to others, had not a grain of that took no interest in, -and at length Joseph "Joseph, my travelling-companion strike the American so odly upon a first article left to physic my own malady, -- rushing to my bedside, in a flutter of ag looked on, and wrote letters. He showed visit. All this delay, the weariness and But one course seemed plain before me, itation, and gasping,me one of these addressed to a friend of impatience, the contrast between the mor- and that was, to go quietly and drown Margaret's. In it he extelled Flora's ning and the hard, grim reality of mid- myself in the Seine, which I had seen beauty, piquaney, and supremacy; relat- day, brought me down from my elevation. flowing so swift and dark under the bridged how she made all the women jealous I felt alarmed to think of what had es, an hour ago, when I stood and mused she has come back; she is here!" There is no such social freedom to be en- and all the men mad; and hinted at my passed. I seemed to have been doing upon the tragical corpses its solemn flood

reproachful; and as I gazed upon Flora's and the mystery of the note excited me. yet was in my chamber; then a vision "At last, one morning, at daybreak, I bedimmed face, I wondered how I had I have no doubt but there was some sub- appeared to my sick ened sight, - a face tile connection between it and the near which I dimly thought I had seen before, "We took the first train for London, presence of Margarot's spirit, of which I -a flood of cords and a rain of kisses sympathetic and fluent. The past is easily left America behind us, brown and leafless where we arrived at midnight. Two had that night been conscious. But the showering upon me, - sobs and devouring put away; we become plastic to new in- just emerging from the long gloom of win- weeks in the vast Babel, -then, ho! for note had reached me by no supernatural caresses, -Flora's voice calling me pasfluences; we are delighted at the descov- ter; and now the sloops of another world Paris! Twelve hours by rail and steamer method, as I was at first half inclined to sionate names; and I lying so passive, to find in ourselves so much wit, eloquence, spring. There was a bracing breeze; the into the brilliant metropolis of his French atmosphere, the ineffably fine influence soul sank whirling is darkness, and I and fine susceptibility, which we did not, dingy waters of the Mersey rolled up in neighbor. Joseph accompanied us, and which surrounded it, which had perpetration which surrounded it, which surrounded it "This freedom is especially provocative steamers, sloops, lighters, pilot-boats, I knew, or hoped, would make Margaret her near. The paper, the glove, were full long after, I awake and found myself in bounding over the waves, meetings tack. Writhe. I had not found it so easy to fored with a balo whose colors are the reflecting, plunging, swaying gracefully under get her as I had supposed it to be. Flotion of our own beautiful dreams. Lovethe full-swelling canvas, presented a picture of wonderful animation; and the when I was weary of the dazzle and whirl suffering which she had breathed into the

floor was a riddle which I was too much peace; listlessly questioning whether ! heart-beats, to meet the love responsive a dim rar-off Margaret, of a near radiant cealed, -in those serious moments which bewildered to explain by any natural was alive or dead, -whether the limp in some other. Don't think I am now Flora, of hope and happiness superior to would come, and my soul put stern quest means. Joseph, who burst in upon me, weight lying in bed was my body, the artfully preparing your mind to excuse what fate. It was one of those times when the tions to me, -then, Sir, -then-Marga- in my extremity of pain and deficulty, meaning of the silence and the closed our

"Do? do?' I said, furiously, - 'I shall

"I know what you will do,' said Jo-

"You can have no conception of the efand pretended to be shocked were com- belief that all life besides is barren, -then her increasing delicacy was beginning to feet of these words, -Go home and marry pelled to admire. She was the belle, the comes some new experience, filling my to alarm her friends, 'But,' added an. Margaret. I shook as I have seen men Juno, of the saloon, the supreme orna- empty cup with a still more delicious other of Joseph's correspondents, 'don't shake with the ague. All that might let Westword flatter himself that he is the have been, -what might be still, -the -not without wit and culture,-full of "Don't vex'me with your philosophy! cause, for she is cured of him; and there happiness east away, and perhaps yet with- Oh, if you don't thank God for her, he poetry and enthusiasm. Do you blame said Flora. 'I don't know anything is talk of an engagement between her and in my reach, -the temptation of the Dev- lowered his voice, - and live all the rest about it. All I know is this present, - a handsome young clergyman, who is both il, who appealed to my cowardice, to fly of your life to reward her, you are the from Flora, break my vows, risk my hon- most ungreatful wretch! You would ceror and life, for Margaret, -all this rushed tainly have died but for her. She has "Ah, Margaret!" said Westwood, with easily as you can, with your beautiful ter and angry. 'Forget me so soon?' I through me tumultuously. At length I searcely slept, till this morning, when

"'No, Joseph; I shall do no such sink such awful chasms into the soul, that though they cannot be filled, we must at been quite frank with her,—'how I left myself been so eager to commit! "I had to condemn her for the very fault I had thing. I can never be worthy of Margather thing. I can never be worther thing. ret; it will be only by fasting and prayer soul. I had, indeed, been conscious of a that I can make myself worthy of Flora.' " Will you start for Italy in the morn-

". For Italy in the morning?" I groan- sing warm, sweet life into me, -- but it new and improved instruments. Office over J. We talked of jilted lovers and disappoint- Ought not this to give me faith in the di- evening before we were to set out for the ed. Meet Flora, travel with her, play the had always seemed Matgaret, never Flo. M. Hubbard's Music Store, corner of Main and Burdick streets, Kalamazoo.

South of France, I was at my lodgings, hypocrite, with smiles on my lips and hell unpacking and repacking the luggage in my heart,—or, thunderstrike her at South of France, I was at my lodgings, hypocrite, with smiles on my lips and hell ra. KALAMAZOO BAKERY,

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which have gone out to him, unmet, ready thing is easy to a proud, impetuous wo- the impulse of the moment, -before I re- ments of the damned in as quiet a man- Marseilles, -you remember that?

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burst into my room, crying, -

"Good news! she is gone! I told chess; we read poetry out of the same handed sailors had fastened their cable to chamber, scated myself composedly, and her you had lost your passport, and wo'd

-and such a note! -full of love, suffer- hat, they'll leave in the first steamer for

" Flora! "What of Flora?" I demanded. "'I telegraphed, but she wouldn't go,

"I was sinking back into the stupor from which I had been roused, when I

curiosity out of the Lethe from which my "How the note came there upon the mind stowly emerged; painless, and at solved it at once. It had fallen out of the tains. Then, with a succession of painful

"Twist gloom and gleam, With Death and Life at each extreme"

"But one morning I was better I could tak. Joseph bent over me, weap-

"The danger is past!' he said. 'The doctors say you will get wel !"

" Have I been so ill, then?" "'Ill?" echoed Joseph. 'Nobody the's you could live. We all gave you up, except her ;--and she'

" 'She!' I said, - 'is she here?' " From the moment of her arrival," replied Joseph, 'she has never left you they said you would recover.'

"Joseph paused Every word he spoke tender hand scothing my pillow, of a lovely form flitting through my dreams, of a breath and magnetic touch of love infu-

" The glove?' I asked. "Here it is, said Joseph 'In your delirium you demanded it; you would not be without it; you caressed it, and ad-

" And Flora, -she heard ? ". Flora?' repeated Joseph. 'Don't you know-haven't you any idoa-what has happened? It has been so terrible!" "Tell me at once! I said. 'Keep

". Immediately on her return from

" Yes, yez! go on! " She established herself here. Nobody could come between her and you; offered the doctors extravagants sums

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